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§14-205.1.

On or before October 1 each year, the Board shall submit to the Governor, the Secretary, and, in accordance with § 2–1257 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly an annual report that includes the following data calculated on a fiscal year basis:

- (1) Relevant disciplinary indicators, including:
- (i) The number of new complaints investigated for physicians, allied health practitioners, and unlicensed individuals;
- (ii) The number of complaints that remain open as of June 30 of the immediately preceding fiscal year at the Board and at the Office of the Attorney General;
 - (iii) The three most common grounds for complaints;
 - (iv) The three most common sources of the complaints received;
- (v) The number and types of disciplinary actions taken by the Board;
 - (vi) The total number of cases referred to peer review; and
 - (vii) Of the cases referred to peer review:
- 1. The number of peer review cases that resulted in total disagreement;
- 2. The number of peer review cases that resulted in charges being issued; and
- 3. The number of peer review cases that resulted in closure or closure with an advisory letter;
- (2) The number of cases not completed within 18 months by the Board and the reasons for the failure to complete the cases in 18 months; and
 - (3) For both physicians and allied health professionals:

- (i) The total number of all licensees;
- (ii) The number of initial, renewal, and reinstatement licenses issued;
- (iii) The number of positive and negative criminal history records checks results received;
- (iv) The number of individuals denied initial or renewal licensure due to positive criminal history records checks results; and
- (v) The number of individuals denied initial, renewal, or reinstatement licensure due to reasons other than a positive criminal history records check.

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